

PATENT  
Customer No. 22,852  
Attorney Docket No. 08702.0005-00000

**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

In re Application of: )  
LORENZ et al. ) Group Art Unit: 1644  
Application No.: 09/816,697 ) Examiner: Phillip Gabel  
Filed: March 23, 2001 )  
For: A NOVEL P-SELECTIN )  
GLYCOPRTEIN LIGAND (PSGL-1) )  
BINDING PROTEIN AND USES )  
THEREFOR )

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Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

**RESPONSE AND AMENDMENT UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.114**

This Amendment is filed concurrently with a Request for Continued Examination and a Petition for Extension of Time. With the extension, the Request and this Amendment are due by May 9, 2004.

**Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the listing of claims in this paper.

**Remarks/Arguments** follow the amendment sections of this paper.